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For: VEHICLE ATTACHMENT FOR TOWING WASTE RECEPACLES

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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled WASTE RECEPTACLE TRANSPORT DEVICE, the specification of which is attached hereto unless the following is checked:

The specification was filed on March 22, 2004 as United States Application Number 10/806,058.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

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Prior Foreign Application(s)

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<u>60/456,314</u> (Application Number)	<u>March 20, 2003</u> (Filing Date)
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